

# Recruitment Time is Here!

Use these tips to boost your membership this year and help Wisconsin FCCLA grow!

## Your First Meeting...

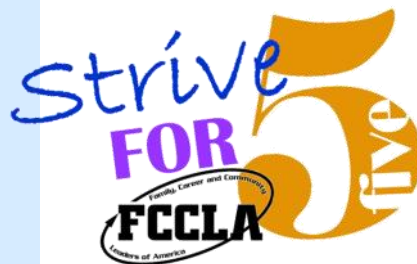
**Be Positive!** Show others how much fun FCCLA can be by having a good attitude. Make them want to join because they think they can do something well, help others, or simply have fun.

## Teach

Not everyone knows as much about FCCLA as you do. Make sure they know what the organization is all about, and most importantly, how they can be a part of it!

## Set a Time Limit

Encourage students to join ASAP! Don't let them forget to bring their money by giving them incentive to bring it in. Have a pizza party, donut party, or whatever you think might work for only members who join by a certain date.



## Make a List!

Keep track of the members who came to your first meeting. They were interested enough to come. By seeking them out and telling that they should join, they most likely will!

## The points System

At Clear Lake High School, points are awarded for coming to meetings, doing community service projects, and STAR Events. They also encourage members to join early by giving more points if they join by a certain date. At the end of the year, the chapter takes a trip to an amusement park, and the members with the most points get to go free!

## Things to Keep in Mind...

Put in **announcements** about your meetings. Your first meeting is especially important, but announcements for other meetings will keep members coming back. Posters for your first meeting work great, too! **Visit the middle school students** who will be going into high school. They will be more likely to join if they know about FCCLA.

Make sure to **recognize your members** for the things they have done. Having them stand at meetings or listing their names off while talking about something will make them feel like they belong! An end of the year **Awards Night** might be an option for you to not only recognize members, but get their parents to come as well!